Unveiling the Essence: The Story Behind My Name.

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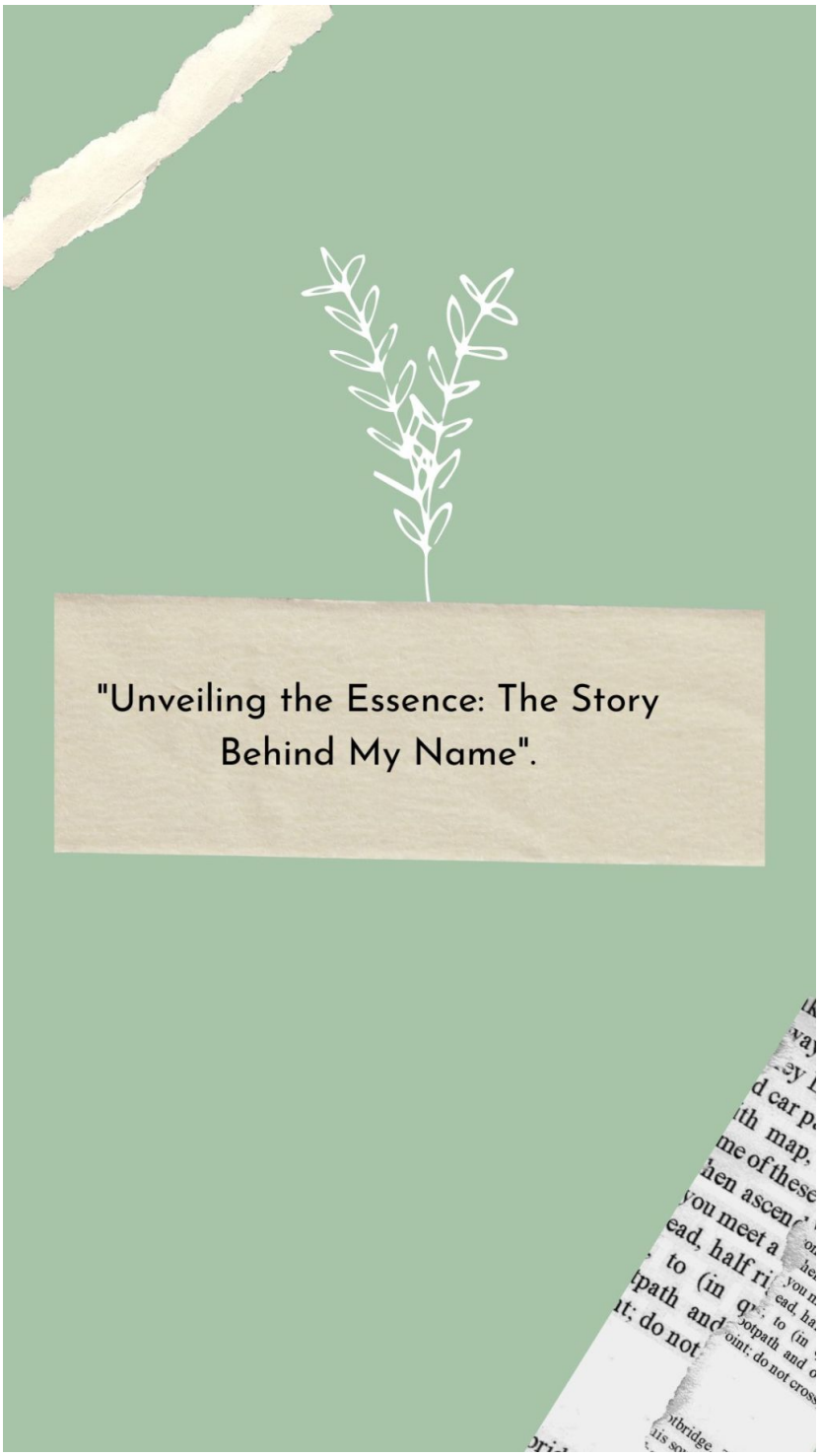
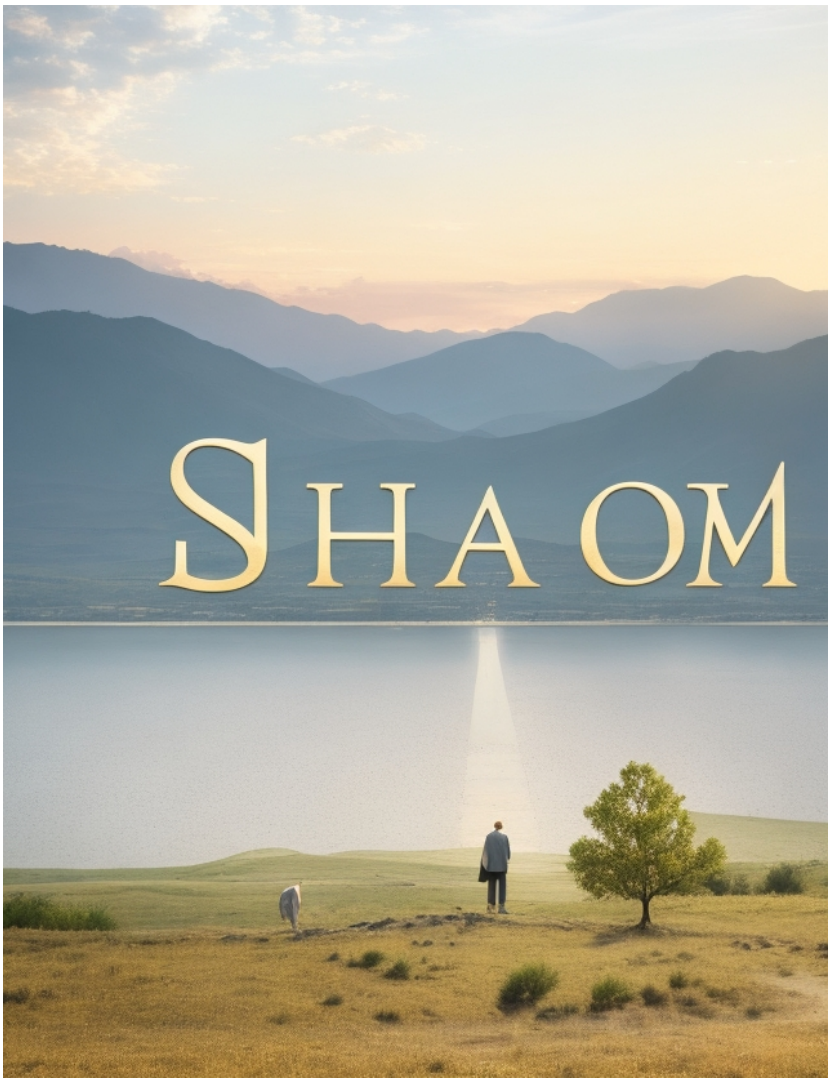


THE HISTORY BEHIND “NAME OF MINE”



The name “Shalomie” has its roots in Hebrew. It is commonly used both as a personal name and as a greeting. Its meaning goes beyond the simple translation of “peace” in English. “Shalom” stands for a profound sense of wholeness and well-being. It also signifies harmony and tranquility in various aspects of life. These include spiritual, emotional, and physical dimensions. It embodies a state of completeness, unity, and reconciliation. Furthermore, “Shalom” can be used as a sincere salutation, conveying blessings of peace and prosperity to others.

“Words have Meaning and Names have Power”

Names hold significance as they help recognize individuals, regardless of their background or personal history. The person who calls us by our name has the power to influence our emotions, whether positively or negatively. Each person holds a unique place in our lives. Their voice carries a distinct sound and rhythm. This leaves a lasting impact.

If I'm not mistaken, most people prefer that their loved ones use their pet names. They also like shorter versions of their names, right?

I derive joy from hearing my name being called in different ways. I enjoy receiving affectionate nicknames. It ultimately depends on the person and the context. Names contribute to our sense of respect and dignity. When people say my name clearly as Shalomie (sha) sound, I often felt different. The pronunciation was unfamiliar to me.

"A name pronounced is the recognition of the individual to whom it belongs. He who can pronounce my name aright, he can call me, and is entitled to my love and service."
— Henry David Thoreau.

An overview of my name's history:
When I was born, my parents named me after the church pastor. Unfortunately, this pastor had a romantic relationship with someone named Evelin in the past. I found it puzzling why he felt the need to connect me to his own history. He did this by giving me her name, Evelin. Over time, I came to adore the name.

"ENJOY THE LITTLE THINGS"
EVELIN